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A CRITTENDEN GIRL

Wins a Medal. Small Court Docket. The Teachers' Institute.

The New Birth.
Rev. P. T. Hardison will preach Sunday at the Methodist church on the new birth, text, John 3:7.

Only Twenty-One Suits.
Only twenty-one new suits have been filed since the last term of circuit court. The records show that this is about as many as the docket has heretofore averaged. This is the smallest docket for many years.

Guardian Appointed.
R. B. Gass has been appointed guardian for Ida May Rushing and Thos. Rushing, and qualified with W. A. Blackburn as surety. The order shows that the mother of the children, Mary L. Rushing, had left the state.

Sheriff's Appointments.
Sheriff Franks is preparing a list of appointments for collecting taxes. It will appear in the Press next week. The law requires that these appointments be made, and the people of each magisterial district are notified to meet the Sheriff at some point in the district and pay their taxes; the appointments must be made as often as once every ninety days.

Teachers Examined.
Thirty applicants for teachers certificates were before the board for examination Friday and Saturday. Of this number twenty-one were men and nine women. The grading has not yet been completed, and the result therefore is not known.

It has been recently stated on high authority that 95 per cent of the teachers in America are women. This percentage will not hold good in Crittenden.

Teachers' Institute.
The Crittenden county teachers' institute will be held in Marion beginning July 19, and continuing six days. Prof. R. N. Roark, of the State college will conduct the institute this year.

The colored institute for Caldwell and Crittenden counties will be held jointly at this place, beginning Aug. 2. J. H. Jackson, of the colored State normal at Frankfort, has been employed as conductor.

A Crittenden Girl.

Miss Ruby James, daughter of Mr. L. H. James of this place, and sister of Ollie James, graduated with high honors in a class of forty-four, at Pillsbury college, Minn., a few days ago. She was also chosen to represent her class in a collegiate oratorical contest, and in the contest won the medal. This is quite a distinguished honor, and Miss James' many friends here are delighted with her success. She is a young lady of great mental brilliancy and an untiring student.

Deserted Her Children.

A suit has been filed in circuit court to disannul a deed made by Mary L. Rushing to J. P. Deboe; the plaintiffs are Ida M. Rushing and Thos. Rushing, minor children of Mary L. Rushing, and the defendant is J. P. Deboe. The petition alleges that Mrs. Rushing abandoned her two small children and left the State, after having sold the homestead interest in a 113 acre tract of land left by the husband and father, (who died some months ago) and pocketed the money, leaving the children without any means of support whatever. The plaintiff through their guardian, R. B. Gass, hold that they are entitled to the homestead until they arrive at the age of twenty-one years, and therefore ask the court to disannul the deed made to Deboe.

SCHOOL CENSUS.

Jurors for the June Term. The District Conference.

The following is a list of the names of the men summoned for grand jury service at the approaching term of circuit court:

E. B. McWhirter, L. A. LaRue, W. H. Brown, Robt. Hodges, W. M. DeHaven, Ben Rankin, Shelton C. Towery, Geo. Foster, S. B. Weldon, Albert Clise, J. F. Dodge, T. T. Hard, Jonathan Brantley, Ed Haynes, John Brown, J. F. Snyder, T. J. Wright, T. H. Carter, J. O. Burton, R. W. Wilson.

PETIT JURORS.

Thos Williams, Enoch Belt, E. R. Hill, A. F. Haynes, Thos McConnell, L. O. Threlkeld, Milt Terry, Martin Gahagan, M. Schwab, Mack White, W. R. Gibbs, Jr., J. H. Morse, S. G. Lee, W. I. Taber, Geo. W. Ashbridge, Powell Heath, W. F. Belmont, J. B. Carter, E. H. Porter, Jesse Oliver, Arch Crosson, J. T. Elder, J. L. Risher, Owen Boaz, C. L. Ballard, Richard Dorr, Dave Gilliland, W. H. La Rue, D. W. Carter.

District Conference.

The Princeton District Conference M. E. church, south, convened, in S. S. conference at this place Thursday morning. The day was spent in discussing various branches of Sunday work, and it was an interesting and instructive session.

On Friday morning the District Conference proper convened with Presiding Elder S. C. Allen in the chair and W. W. Prine as secretary. The roll called showed all of the churches represented and the routine business called and transacted. The reports of the various pastors showed a healthy condition of the churches, and substantial progress being made. The license of the various local preachers were renewed. Four lay delegates were elected to the annual conference as follows: J. J. Jefferson, of Cadiz, J. M. Spears, of Princeton, J. C. Johnson, of Greenville, A. C. Moore, of Marion. Two alternates were elected—J. A. Atkins, of Princeton, and R. W. Wood, of Shady Grove.

Census of School Districts.

Dycusburg,	148	Forest Grove	71
Deans,	37	Oak Grove	57
Caldwell Spgs	100	Browns	60
Cookseyville,	93	Heath	51
Frances,	86	Marion,	359
Boaz,	100	Stonewall,	47
Irma,	89	Post Oak,	48
White Hall,	45	Oakland,	45
New Salem,	23	Weston,	62
Owen,	66	Greens Chpl	48
Silom,	57	Mines,	82
Union,	58	Dempsey,	36
Pleasant Grove,	73	Baker,	80
Deer Creek,	86	Hoods Creek	70
Rose Dale,	64	Sugar Grove	46
Barnett,	92	Blowing Spg	76
Tolu,	165	Enon,	60
Hurricane,	100	Hoods,	94
Glendale,	69	Lambe,	56
Blooming Rose	44	Olive Branch	61
Chapel Hill,	71	Copperas Spg	52
Ciscoes Chapel,	22	Lilly Dale,	92
Story,	89	Midway,	80
Lone Star,	65	Seminary,	75
Pleasant Hill,	68	Hebron,	100
McDowell,	96	Caney Fork,	59
Shady Grove,	68	Jackson,	77
Applegate,	34	Goen Spring,	55
Fords Ferry,	70	Moore,	48
Bethel,	45	Grimes,	55
Childress,	70	Red Top,	53
Liberty,	82	Ditney,	56
Crayneville,			
Total,			4,798

COLORED.

Tolu,	85	Hughes,	22
Weston,	20	Marion,	139
Dycusburg,	28	Piney,	22
Lead Mines,	21	Mount Zion,	26
Cardin's,			
Total,			385
Total white and colored,			5,183

Marion Roller Mills.

Marion Roller Mills is anticipating a big run of business so soon as the new wheat crop comes in, and every thing about this fine mill has been placed in first class condition. Mr. D. B. Kevil and John Warren Travis will have charge, and in the future, as in the past, they will do nothing but the best of work. Both of these gentlemen are expert millers and sterling business men, and the public will find it both pleasant and profitable to do business with them. No mill turns out a better grade of flour, and in every particular the people have found it satisfactory to do business with Marion Roller Mills.

Libon, O., June 21.—A heavy frost this morning marked the summer solstice. Owing to the prevailing dryness, but very slight damage was done to crops. It is the first June frost in 35 years.

THE BIG SNAKE.

The Druggists' Convention at Crittenden and Other Matters.

Mr. LaPearl, a snake charmer, who quit Hall's show at this place, has been endeavoring to capture the big snake that has so long inhabited the big knob on the Fowler place, three miles north of town. The snake has been described by those who have seen it as from sixteen to twenty feet long and as large as a three quart tin bucket. It has been seen occasionally for several years. La Pearl has a choice collection of all the snakes known to this section, including some immense rattlers, and he handles them as familiarly as a little boy would his favorite kitten.

While in search of the big snake, LaPearl captured one not so large, but of sufficient proportions to satisfy most people. The one caught is known as the "Forest King," it is eight feet long, and about five inches in circumference. He was discovered taking a sun bath, and the snake connoisseur "grabbed" him just behind the head and landed him in a sack.

Won Some Prizes.

The Kentucky Pharmaceutical Association, which held its annual meeting at Crittenden Springs last week, adjourned Thursday, but a number of the members remained until Saturday. It was a successful meeting and the druggists were all delighted with the meeting, and the entertainment furnished by the capital host of Crittenden, Mr. M. C. Thurman.

The contest for prizes afforded amusement sufficient to last a year. Mr. R. F. Haynes, the druggist of this place, won the prize as the swiftest runner, running backwards, and but for a fall when within a few feet of the goal, would have been the winner in the foot race. He was also one of the winners in the bunch race, in which the contestants were tied together in bunches of three. Burr Caldwell, of Fredonia, won the "throwing" prize; that is, he threw a bowling ball the furthest; the prize was valued at \$10. Perry Maxwell, of this place, was the best man to handle a needle and thread, and in button sewing contest captured the prize. Mrs. Ross, of Madisonville, won the egg race. The eggs were placed in a spoon and the spoon was carried in the mouth, and the contestant who ran the furthest without dropping the egg was the winner. There were numerous other fun making contests.

Children's Day at Bell Mines.

Sturgis, Ky., June 21.—The writer had the privilege of attending Children's Day exercises at o'd Bell Mines yesterday and he feels it his duty to let the people of Crittenden county know what the people of the entire northern end of the county can do. To say that this was the best of the kind we ever had the pleasure of attending, tells but half. The exercises consisted of recitations, songs, dialogues and acrobatics by the little ones. Also the pastor, Rev. G. L. Woodruff, gave a short talk, which he had illustrated on a blackboard, which was a masterpiece.

Also Bros. Womack and Bennett made some good extemporaneous talks. The exercises lasted all day. There was an abundant dinner on the ground, which was served at noon, in the dense shade of the grove. The crowd was estimated at between 800 and 1,000 people.

We think it was a great success, but it could not be otherwise with such an enthusiastic person as Charles E. Hines as leader, and one as able in the work as Miss Alice Black on the programme committee. May God's blessing rest upon the people and church of Bell Mines.

Dying of Hydrophobia.

A report comes from the Laytonville neighborhood that a number of cattle in that country are afflicted with some disease resembling hydrophobia. They are suddenly attacked with spasms and become very vicious. After running over the fields until exhausted the fall and soon die in great agony. Several farms have lost from one to three head in this manner and new cases are developing daily; some weeks ago several mad dogs were killed in the neighborhood and it is feared that much stock was bitten by these rabid curs.—Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

Wheat Threshing.

I have a new threshing—a first class machine in every particular. Owing to the hard times and scarcity of money I will thresh at customary price and take wheat at the machine to pay for threshing. My machine can not be excelled, and I guarantee the work.

BROWN AT PADUCAH.

The Crittenden Man Astonishes the Purchase Metropolis.

The Paducah Register of the 1st says: Several alleged remarkable cures of rheumatism and other ailments have been added to the list of cures effected by Dr. Charles Brown, they boy healer, and his father, Rev W M Brown, of Marion, Ky., in the last few days.

On Saturday afternoon the two healers visited the home of Mrs Sarah E. Shelton, at 601 South Eighth street. According to Mrs. Shelton she had been a sufferer from rheumatism for the past four years, and for two years had been unable to leave her bed. She could not even raise herself up in bed without suffering excruciating pains. Her right arm and both of the lower limbs were withered and drawn by the disease. The boy healer immediately on entering the room, prayed over Mrs. Shelton and assisted her to walk about the room, which she says she accomplished without feeling the least pain. The arm which had for years been useless, is now in a normal condition and Mrs. Shelton can move it as easily as she could at any time before her affliction. Mrs. Shelton and her family are exuberant in their praise of the cure.

Another case reported is the cure of Mr. Wes Troutman, a resident of the Clark river section, who has been bedridden with the same disease for several years. This is even more remarkable than the cure of Mrs. Shelton, as Mr. Troutman immediately after being healed by the young faith curist yesterday morning, was able to get up and go out to his barn, some distance from the house, without any sign of rheumatism.

The faith curists have been here several weeks, and during that time have created a great deal of notoriety for themselves by their startling and seemingly impossible cures.

Swore Falsely.

Cincinnati, June 18.—A Times-Star special from Springfield, Ohio, says that George Jackson, who became famous in the Pearl Bryan murder trial, by testifying that he drove the carriage in which Scott Jackson and Alonzo Walling conveyed their victim to the Kentucky Highlands, where her body was found, was today found guilty of perjury in a case where he had given testimony in a criminal trial in Springfield. Sentence was reserved.

Brown's Appointments.

Paducah, Ky., June 21.
Ed. Press: We are closing a good meeting here. Please announce that we will be at Hebron the 4th Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night; and at the court house in Marion July 21.

Queen Victoria is blind and it is stated that she will shortly abdicate the throne of England.

After using a ten cent trial size of Ely's Cream Balm you will be sure to buy a fifty cent size. Cream Balm has no equal in curing catarrh and cold in head. Ask your druggist for it or send ten cents to us.
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I suffered from Catarrh three years; it got so bad I could not work; I used two bottles of Elys Cream Balm and am entirely well. I would not be without it.—A. C. Clark, 341 Shawmut Av., Boston.

Civil Service.

Not Such a Good Thing When Your Crowd Happens to be Out.

Washington, June 16.—Col Walter Evans this morning introduced a resolution aimed at the civil service regulations, which the friends of civil service reform pronounce the most dangerous which has come before Congress.

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"Whereas, doubts have been expressed regarding the power of the President to alter, modify, amend, or revoke the rules made by his predecessors, concerning the classified civil service, and admission thereto; and whereas, grave doubts have also arisen whether certain recent extensions thereof were made in good faith to promote selections on account of merit, or were in harmony with the intention of Congress in enacting the civil service law.

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"Now therefore, be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized and empowered, from time to time, as he may deem expedient, to alter, modify, amend or revoke any or all previously made rules providing for the classification of the civil service and regulating the admission thereto."

KENTUCKY BAPTISTS.

Decide that the Modern Sanctification Craze is Heresy.

Georgetown, Ky., June 18.—Sanctification precipitated a lively discussion in the meeting of the Kentucky Baptist Ministers Association this afternoon. One number of the programme for this afternoon session was "Modern Sanctification." Dr. T. T. Eaton of Louisville led the discussion, and there was a lively debate, participated in by a number of the most prominent ministers of the denomination.

The following resolution was finally passed:

"Whereas, The modern sanctification craze is seriously hampering some of the churches,

"Resolved, That we regard it as a dangerous heresy, and urge our brethren by no means to give it sympathy and encouragement."

Des Moines, Ia., June 21.—Democrats, Populists and free silver Republicans will hold state conventions in this city Wednesday. Prospects for fusion are bright. Almost all the county conventions that have been held, with one or two exceptions among the Populists have favored fusion.

Evil after effects never follow the use of Dr. Bell's Peppermint Chill Tonic. It is a pleasant liver laxative. It makes rich, red blood. It makes stout, sound bone. It makes flesh. It makes rosy cheeks. All of this cures chills so they stay cured. Dealers guarantee it.

A FARMERS' TRUST.

An Effort Will be Made to Hold the Wheat for Good Prices.

Versailles, Ky., June 19.—Woodford county wheat growers met in mass convention at the court house this afternoon and issued a call for a State Convention of farmers, to be held in Lexington Monday, July 5, for the purpose of perfecting arrangements for withholding the Kentucky wheat from the market for a long enough period to insure a remunerative price. The call issued is as follows:

"In behalf of maintaining prices on cereals and strengthening the farming interest we request that each county in the State of Kentucky, through their County Judges, or in such manner as may seem best, appoint a suitable number of delegates to a convention of farmers to be held at the court house in Lexington, Ky. on July 5, 1897, at 1 o'clock p. m. Considering the importance of this movement to every farmer in the State, it is earnestly hoped and confidently expected that every county in the State will take an active part in this convention and see to it that it is composed of the best men in the State.

If the State Convention proves to be the success that is hoped for, a National Convention will be called in Indianapolis or some other centrally located city to form a national farmers' trust.

Frankfort, Ky., June 19.—Judge Cantrell of the Franklin circuit court and State fiscal courts holds as unconstitutional the act passed by the late Legislature authorizing the state to issue \$500,000 worth of bonds; this is the most important act passed by that late unlamented body, it being the only measure which afforded immediate relief to the bankrupt state treasury. The judgment was rendered by Judge Cantrell in vacation, an agreed case testing the validity of the act having been submitted to him by the Eastern Kentucky Lumber and the state board of sinking fund commissioners. The judgment in the case was brought here this afternoon by attorney Geo. A. Shanklin of Lexington, and was filed with the circuit clerk. An appeal from the judgment holding the act invalid will be filed in the court of appeals Monday, and a strong effort will be made to have the case advanced and decided at the present term of the appellate court, which will expire next week. It is doubtful, however, if the full bench will consider it at this term, as Judge Lewis, and probably other judges will not be here again during the present term.

Warden Happy Unhappy Again.

Kuttawa, Ky., June 19.—C. I. Canfield, clerk, filed a suit for \$25,000 damages against J. H. Happy, warden of the Eddyville penitentiary and against his bondsmen, Will J. Landrum, Sam D. Clark, W. J. Hays, Crawford Anderson and H. S. Hale, all of Graves county. The situation is unchanged at the prison, but some sensational developments are expected daily.

The condition of pastures averages 94, which is about what might be expected, considering the cool, dry weather of May. From Livingston county comes a report of pastures completely destroyed by the army worm, which, so far as the report goes, is confined to one farm.

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I guarantee all of my work to give entire satisfaction. Bring in your wool. Will pay freight to machine on all shipments of 100 pounds and over. Neighbors can easily club together and send that amount together at one shipment. Mark each bundle with the owners name, and write giving full directions as to the way you want it carded.
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THE OWEN SBORO THE BIRDSSELL THE BLOUNT...

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Grice will have to pay Turkey an indemnity of five million pounds sterling.

It positively announced that Sherman will soon retire from the cabinet.

Earthquake shocks did considerable damage at Holston and Gilroy, Col., Sunday.

The Senate has under consideration a bill appropriating \$500,000 for the Paris exposition in 1900.

Breathitt county's grand jury returned indictments against sixteen men charging them with kidnapping.

The insurgents are said to have secured \$200,000 in gold from the train recently destroyed by dynamite.

The court of appeals has rendered a decision that will knock building and loan associations out of existence in this state.

County Superintendent in Indiana have received instructions for the appointment of "trust officers" to enforce the compulsory educational law.

A deficit of \$3,500,000 has been discovered in the Pennsylvania state treasury, said to be due to extravagant appropriations by the legislature.

Wind, rain and hail did considerable damage in Henderson and Christian counties Sunday afternoon. The damage to crops is estimated at several thousand dollars.

Secretary Sherman disapproves of the Hawaiian treaty, and hopes the Senate will defeat it. The treaty was negotiated against his will. He is expected to resign from the cabinet.

The Madisonville Mail celebrated its first anniversary last week by getting out the handsomest paper ever printed in Western Kentucky. The Mail is a model paper.

J. Pierpont Morgan, the banker bond dealer, returned from Europe a few days ago. A newspaper report says that his baggage consisted of forty seven trunks. A man with that much trunk is bound to be a white elephant to the government.

Senator Deboe is the man who is handling Kentucky's share of the pie. Some of the Republican congressmen of the state kicked against a portion of the Deboe slate, but the President stayed with the Senator just the same.

Crittenden county is not only keeping up with, but is leading the procession this year. With the pie hunters swarming around a Crittenden man in Washington, and the lame, the blind and the diseased paying tribute to a Crittenden man in Paducah who can estimate our possibilities.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Davidson, upon an investigation, has discovered that teachers' examination papers are a salable commodity in this state, and will endeavor to punish persons who have been putting them on the market for a money consideration.

Henry Clevs says "leading bankers of New York are regaining confidence." A country whose material welfare rests upon the "confidence" of a few men, is poorly constructed. Under such a system the favored few can have their "confidence" go and come at will, and are practically absolute monarchs.

Gorman, Brice, and a small coterie of gentlemen from the East, so disguised the Wilson bill with protective features that President Cleveland refused to sign it; and now these gentlemen, with their servile goldbug press, are decimating against Tillman and two or three others because the latter, seeing that a high tariff measure was going through, voted for it on their approval. Voted for a duty on cotton. These Southern Senators have subjected themselves to adverse criticism, but let those who have not sinned throw the first brickbat.

The farmers in central Kentucky propose to take a hand in the trust business themselves. As trusts and combinations of every kind have been manipulating things against the farmer, it is not unnatural that the victims should turn and endeavor to use the enemy's weapon with which to fight the enemy. The enactment of laws have heretofore failed to reach trusts, and the farmers, because of their great numbers and consequent inability to concentrate their forces, can not successfully cope with their shrewd, soulless enemies, but the time will come, in the near future, too, when such drastic steps will be taken that the combines will be driven to the wall. The American people are patient and forbearing, and in matters of legislation move with caution, but they can be trampled upon until patience ceases to be a virtue, and then they will turn and strike a knock out blow.

The goldbug Democrats, having exhausted their vocabulary of sibilant and double gassed invective to express their feelings for the orthodox Democrats, are now calling them a gang of office seekers. Their audacity is at least refreshing. There is the great heart of the goldbug, Grover Cleveland, who never held an office. His aversion to putting his head in the public crib is known and appreciated of all men. There is John G. Carlisle, the Joker of the deck, who has refused to draw his salary as State Senator, Lieut. Governor, Congressman, United States Senator and Secretary of the Treasury ever since the middle aged men of this generation dropped their bibs and tuckers. There is Vilas, whose modesty as an office holder has been amply exemplified. There are Brice and Gorman and Hill and Buckner and Palmer and B. num, all of whom refused to hold office after the people turned them out. The whole Sanhedrin of the goldbug class were in official life since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, and every mother's son of them would be masticating pie today had they not been retired by forces that they can not control. Yet they have the unmitigated gall to refer to those who are standing by the faith of the fathers as "office seekers."

The latest news from Washington is to the effect that Ed. Franks will be collector in this district. He has made a phenomenal fight for the place. The leading politicians of the district were against him, and his rival for the honor is an old classmate of the President, but in spite of all this victory seems to be perched on the Franks banner. A few years ago Ed. Franks was a marshal of Marion at a salary not worth mentioning; he threw up his job because there was nothing in it and concluded to run for congress in this district. As the nomination was about as empty an honor as it could be, his party gave it to him because he wanted it. This brought him into prominence, and got him a job in the revenue service. He went to the Second district and ran for congress under almost similar conditions, and now he gets one of the best offices in the State. Ed. deserves his reward, and then he is a Crittenden county boy, and Crittenden ought always to have whatever she wants.

Senator Deboe's Bill. Among Senator Deboe's petitions, presented to the Senate, is one from Rev. F. T. Heffernan, superintendent of the Louisville church workers praying for the repeal of the civil service law.

To Teach Hebrews Farming. Doylestown, Pa., June 20.—The magnificent property acquired by the Jewish National Farm School Association near here was consecrated to duty. Upon the stand was a notable assemblage of clergy and laity, the legal and medical professions, business men and public officials.

The main purpose of the institution is to reclaim Jewish youth to that agricultural life to which their race was devoted in ancient times, but which has been abandoned for mercantile and commercial pursuits.

EARTH IS SPLIT. The Effects of a Wyoming Seismic Shock Found.

Casper, Wyoming, June 17.—About a month or six weeks ago many citizens noticed a slight motion of the earth. Dishes and loose articles in houses rattled in an alarming manner. The effects have just been discovered.

Charles Richardson, a ranchman of Bates Park, while in search of horses, last week, was at the head of Bottom creek, and came upon small cracks in the ground, made by the recent earthquake, which grew larger as he advanced and showed great depth.

The cracks grow to three feet across and he could discern no bottom; he then came upon the main or principal crack, about 40 feet across. A further investigation showed some two acres which had sunk about 40 feet.

TOLU.

Foster Threlkeld, Dr. Boyd and Parris Weldon left for Nashville Sunday.

Mrs. LaRue and daughter Lillie were visiting in Dunn Springs neighborhood last week.

Tola was well represented at the M. E. Conference, which was held in Marion last week.

Preaching at Hurricane next Saturday and Sunday.

Dave Gilliland is "ahead of the bounds," he will finish laying by corn next week.

J. O. Brown and family paid Salem a flying visit Sunday.

Bro. Bennett will preach here Saturday and Sunday night, next.

Foster Threlkeld has wheat which some think will make between thirty and forty bushels to the acre.

Bill Parris, of Lola, visited Mr. Gilliland's family Sunday night and Monday.

Will Hurley and family visited C. J. Boneman's family Sunday.

Bathing is the order of the day with the boys.

Holliness meeting will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock instead of at night.

Miss Annie Alvis is visiting her uncle A. J. Bennett this week.

Wm. R. Dixon who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Croft, returned home Monday.

E. J. Bozeman left for Nashville Monday to attend the reunion.

Miss Cora Flannery left for Cave in Rock Monday.

Miss Nora Long visited her sister, Miss Cora Long last week.

John Weldon who is building the Caldwell Springs church spent the day with his family Sunday.

LEVIAS.

Silence does not always indicate death. I hope, therefore, there hasn't been any wrong conclusion drawn in regard to our mortality, as we are still alive and so is our little town.

When, above an average and the binders are getting in their work.

The farmers that wanted it to turn "hot enough to make stuff grow," I am in hopes, were satisfied last week.

Franklin Buss, has received a new threshing machine.

Dr. LaRue, of New Bernards, I. L., came over for a day. The principal object of his visit was to see his brother, Thomas, who is thinking, owing to the precarious condition of his health, of having his leg amputated.

Chas. LaRue is preparing to finish building his dwelling house.

A general gathering of children and grand children at "Uncle" Jeff LaRue's last Sunday. Pleasant, indeed, are these reunions.

FRANCES.

Wheat cutting is on.

No candidates as yet.

Farmers are using the rollers on the corn this season.

Grasshoppers are eating up some tobacco.

Miss Jennie Wheeler closed a successful school here Friday night with appropriate exercises.

Miss Carrie Conyers of New Salem spent last week with the Misses Hamby.

Miss Fannie Oliver, of Kelsey, spent Sunday in town.

Some time since Mr. G. A. Stephenson living one mile north of town, sunk a shaft to the depth of 50 feet, with the fortunate result of finding a three foot vein of coal which is equal to any in the state.

The work is progressing rapidly on the new church at Caldwell Springs.

Mr. Weldon is a first class workman.

The following teachers have located so far: Miss Fennie Wheeler, at Frances; M. F. Pogue, at Caldwell Springs; W. E. Minner, Boaz.

Rev. J. A. Hunt preached to a large congregation here Sunday.

Miss Georgie Boaz, of Kelsey, spent last week with Miss Jennie Yandell.

SHADY GROVE.

Eq. Todd held his regular term of court here last Saturday.

No important cases were tried.

Ed. Waide, from over the river, says that the erection of a bridge at Smith's ford is as certain as death or taxes.

Carson Nash exhibited here last week some heads of wheat having six grains to the mesh.

The proposed lectures on Sunday Schools by McNeely and Jacobs did not materialize.

There was a fine boy born at Frank McDowell's Monday morning.

A little seven year old boy of Jim McDowell's was bitten last week by a copperhead snake, but he is doing well and will recover.

Dr. Todd called professionally at Blackford last Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Hubbard and children, of Marion, are visiting relatives here this week.

John Horning, of Blackford, is with his old friends at this place, visiting and talking up the McCormick machine.

Miss Vernie Todd is visiting relatives at Clay, Webster county.

Mr. J. Kelly Beard and family left for Grand Rivers last Monday. His father works there and he will be gone some time.

Walter Clement, the popular commercial tourist, has a good patronage here and comes regularly.

The writer enjoyed last Sabbath with Mr. J. G. McCain, and in overlooking his farm could very easily account for his absence from the public arena. It seems that while he has had a laudable ambition for political prement, he has had an eye to his independent resources and such a spirit is commendable. More of the same sort would rather improve than damage the country.

SALEM.

We have had a good rain.

Corn is looking well.

Meadows full of weeds.

Wheat harvesting at hand; some of our farmers have wheat that will make 30 to 40 bushels to the acre.

D. R. Farris is the bicycle rider of our town, he is thinking of going to Mulliken this week.

F. P. Tabor and wife were in town this week. Frank says he will plow his corn once more and lay it by.

W. E. Cox and wife were in town Monday night en route to Smithland Dr. Threlkeld, wife, children and Miss Kitty LaRue went to Nashville this week.

Miss Lizzie Moss was visiting Miss Ada Liley last week.

Miss Ada Butler, who has been visiting relatives around Fredonia has returned home.

Miss Fleta Barnes, who has been in the millinery business at this place has returned to her home at Sebree.

Oscar Pierce has returned home from Louisville and Georgetown.

Take the Overland Express for Levia, Marion and intermediate points. The express will run daily except Sunday. East bound leaves Salem 6 o'clock, a. m.; arrives in Marion at 7:35; West bound leaves Marion at 4:30 p. m., arrives at Salem 6:30.

Makes connections with all trains leaving Marion.

There was a little difficulty occurred in Salem Friday morning. There was an old grudge between Felix Tyner and Bob Utley, which resulted in the former bruising the latter's head and body very badly. Mr. Utley is still here. Mr. Tyner has gone from our midst.

Rev. Boggess and wife have been attending conference at Marion.

Rev. B. A. Brandon and wife are visiting relatives here.

Chas. Brown and Jack Stevens went to Marion Monday.

Albert, Evelyn and Alice Maud Shelby, of Louisville are the guests of Mr. Frank Wyatt this week.

Grand Barbecue at Salem June 26. Prof. Baker, champion tight rope walker will perform some blood curdling feats on the rope.

Grand balloon ascension by Prof. Reno Walth of Indiana.

Go and see the large steam riding gallery at the barbecue June 26.

The second nine of Marion and the Salem nine will play a game for the ball and bat presented by the swing managers. Good dinner and good music furnished for the occasion. Plenty of dancing and a good time generally.

Baker & McCollum, Mgrs.

The advocates of bimetalism are equally opposed to inflation and contraction. Contraction has already taken place within the last twenty years to the extent of about one half of the world's property. Every money lender is now worth just twice as much as he was twenty years ago, estimating his wealth in property of what ever kind. Every man who is not a money lender is worth half as much as he was twenty years ago, in the same kind of property that he now owns. This contraction it is proposed to remedy by restoring the silver money of the constitution. We propose that the law of 1837 shall be re-enacted, under which our mints were open alike to gold and silver. By the Sherman swindle of 1873, Congress was trapped into closing the mints to silver. The people, long and patient struggling, have since secured the coinage of a considerable amount of silver, and restored its legal tender quality. But the gold standard party, headed by Grover Cleveland, again closed the mints to silver in 1893.

The people now propose to tear down the gold party, which is the same party under McKinley that it was under Cleveland—only the private in the army are different. The officers are all the same and they look to the same end. We will not restore the Bland-Allison act nor the Sherman purchase act.

These were the more makeshifts of Wall street. They were the hobbles placed upon silver measures, which they found it impossible wholly to defeat. We will overthrow the gold dynasty. We will obliterate every vestige of its wicked rule and have the unlimited coinage of gold and silver. The nations of the world will buy whatever they want of us, then just as they do now and they will buy no more. We will sell to them a great deal more than we will buy of them. They can pay us the difference in gold, or they can follow our system of bimetalism.

There will be no inflation. The amount of money in the country will be limited to the gold and silver presented for coinage, and the treasury notes, which can easily be kept interchangeable with gold and silver coin. There can be no inflation, because nobody can manufacture either gold or silver, and there is not and never has been enough of both metals in the world, available for coinage purposes, to equal the sum needed to maintain the general range of prices at what they were when silver was demonetized. Prices will not jump back to the rates of twenty-five years ago, but there will be a gradual rise. Money will decrease in value little by little, and all other property will increase in value little by little.

Closing Out Sale

AT R. E. BIGHAM'S STORE.

FOR THE NEXT..... 3 DAYS

We will sell you Dry Goods, Dress Braids, Laces, Embroideries, Notions,

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We Close out the Entire Stock at Lower Prices than you can find elsewhere

We mean business and the above stock is going to sell REGARDLESS OF COST PRICES. If you want bargains, call early.

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little, correspondingly. The poorer property that a man can own then will be money. The result will be that the owners of money will either invest it in enterprises of all kinds, or will be glad to lend it at interest to the energetic, capable and enterprising men who know how to use it in business. Money lending will still be an occupation but the money lender will rather be a participant in the benefits of business investments than a mere wrecker, profligate by the misfortune of others and rejoicing when he can confiscate their property in the payment of a debt swollen to double its original size by the gold conspiracy.

When it is found that prices have stopped falling, and by the gradual increase in the volume of money there is an upward tendency in trade and then factories will open, furnaces will blaze, commerce will be revived, laborers will be employed and the country will move forward to the prosperity to which its resources and the energies of its people entitle it. When people have work they will have money. When they have money they will buy clothes and food. Place the great army of labor again on the march and the railroad freight trains will be its transportation wagons, and from the farm, the mill and the sea will come its supplies and its implements of work an conquest.

The future historian will labor in vain to explain the strange infatuation which caused this generation to starve itself to feed its leeches, and which hugged famine in preference to plenty. No man in this country has more faithfully depicted existing conditions among the people than John Wannamaker, who was Mr. Harrison's Postmaster General, and is now one of the foremost business men of the country. He has refused to join in the falsehoods about signs of prosperity. There are no such signs, and will be none while the policy of contraction with confiscation, ruin and hunger in its train, bears away at the White House and also in the House of Representatives as it does now.

The people everywhere are becoming aroused to the fact that the hard times are the result of their own folly, and that their only hope lies in abandoning the teachings of those who live on their misfortunes.

FORMER TERRITORIAL ACQUISITIONS.

The proposition to annex Hawaii to the United States naturally calls up some brief review of our previous territorial acquisitions.

Not including the Pacific group of islands, which may or may not become the property of this country, there have been since the beginning of the present century not less than six acquisitions of territory to the domain of the United States. The first and most important of these acquisitions was made in 1803, and is known as the Louisiana purchase. Mr. Jefferson, who occupied the presidential chair at that time, negotiated the purchase from Emperor Napoleon at a cost of \$15,750,000. While the exact boundaries of the territory thus acquired are not preserved either on the map or in the state records at Washington, something over 1,198,000 square miles were added to the national domain, and from this vast extent of territory the states of Louisiana, Arkansas, Missouri, Iowa, North and South Dakota, Idaho, Wyoming, Oregon and Washington have since been carved, besides Oklahoma and Indian Territory and parts of Mississippi, Colorado, Minnesota and Kansas.

Sixteen years elapsed before the next opportunity to extend the borders of the United States presented itself. In 1819 President Monroe, at a cost of \$5,000,000, secured the purchase of Florida from Spain. While the acquisition of Florida added 58,780 square miles to the national territory, its real value consisted in the fact that it gave to the government one continuous coastline from Maine to Texas. The next important acquisition was made in 1846, when the republic of Texas became a

Extend the Summer School

All our Students will have the opportunity of attending the Kentucky State Teachers' Association, which meets in Bowling Green June 29-30 and July 1, 1897. If you want a better education, prepare yourself for teaching, get a better certificate, or take a thorough COMMERCIAL COURSE. It will pay you to write to us. Special Emphasis put on the STATE TEACHERS' COURSE. You can enter now and find classes to suit you. Mention Course wanted. Write now: CHERRY BROS., Proprietors, Southern Normal School and Bowling Green Business College, Bowling Green, Ky.

member of the federal union. The mere act of admitting Texas into the sisterhood of states cost the government little, of course; but the frontiers of the state were not clearly defined, and this led to the Mexican war of 1845-48, in which thousands of American lives were lost and vast sums of money expended. As the result of the Mexican war, however, the United States made its fourth acquisition of territory, partly by way of indemnity and partly by way of purchase. Texas added to the national domain some 325,000 square miles; while the territory acquired from Mexico added not less than 650,000 square miles. This latter area has since been carved into the states of California, Utah and Nevada, and parts of Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico. In addition to the vast territory already mentioned, the United States also acquired as the result of the Mexican war, a continuous Pacific coast line. Still another result of the Mexican war was the purchase in 1853 of 30,000 square miles of territory at a cost of \$10,000,000. This territory now forms a part of Arizona and New Mexico.

The last extension of our national territory was made in 1867, during the administration of President Andrew Johnson, when Alaska was purchased from Russia, the consideration being \$7,200,000. In this purchase 577,390 square miles were included. Recapitulating, the various acquisitions of territory to the United States have been as follows:

From France, in 1803, 1,198,000 square miles; 58,380 square miles from Spain in 1819, 325,000 square miles from Texas in 1845, 650,000 square miles from Mexico in 1848, 30,000 square miles from Mexico in 1853, and 577,390 square miles from Russia in 1867—making a total of 2,839,070 square miles. In view of the fact that the present area of the United States comprises only 3,602,990 square miles it is evident that our original territory embraced only 763,920 square miles, or barely one fifth the area of our present national domain.

The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greaves, a merchant, of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that he could procure, tried all cough remedies he could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and was cured by use of two bottles. For the past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for coughs, colds and consumption. It does not fail you. Trial bottles free at Orme's drug store.

When wear begins to exceed repair in your body you are going to fall sick. The signs of it are: Loss of flesh, paleness, weakness, nervousness etc. The repair needed is food. You think you eat enough, and yet you feel that you wear out more tissue, energy, nerve force, than your food makes for you. The difficulty is that you do not digest enough. And this is so serious it is worth sitting down seriously to think about. If you can not digest what you eat take a few doses of Shaker Digestive Cordial. The effect of it will be to increase your flesh and make you feel stronger. You won't fall sick. Proof that it is in control of your entire repair apparatus. Its easy enough to test this on yourself. Take a few bottles of Shaker Digestive Cordial. Sold by druggists at 10c to \$1 per bottle.

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Repairs for the Deering Binder.

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If you want to buy Furniture go to THE NEW STORE, MORSE & CROWELL, Proprietors.

All their Furniture is new and up to date in style, but down to zero in prices. They also have a large line of Coffins, Caskets, Robes and Slippers. They will save you money if you will go and see them before buying.

MORSE & CROWELL, Marion, Ky.

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You and we may differ as to money standards and out of our very differences good may come. But we won't differ as to the merits of one standard emulsion of cod-liver oil.

SCOTT'S EMULSION has won and held its way for nearly 25 years in the world of medicine until to-day it is almost as much the standard in all cases of lung trouble, and every condition of wasting whether in child or adult as quinine is in malarial fevers.

Differ on the money question if you will, but when it comes to a question of health, perhaps of life and death, get the standard.

Your druggist sells Scott's Emulsion. Two sizes, 50 cts. and \$1.00. SCOTT & BOWNE, New York.

Trissner's Sale for Taxes.

By virtue of the taxes due School District No. 4, I will on Monday, July 12, 1897, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 3 p. m., at court house door at Marion, Ky., expose to public sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of taxes due:

One tract of land known as the property of Moses Hard and adjoining J. B. Boswell. Taxes for 1895 and 1896.

One tract of land known as the T. M. Brooks land, and adjoining B. B. Boswell. Taxes for 1895 and 1896.

One tract of land, the property of Henry D. Myers, containing about 100 acres, adjoining A. King, tax for 1896.

J. P. Tabor, Trust. Dist. No. 4.

My Wool Cards

Are in first class order, with some new cards put on this spring, and I am doing as good work as can be done with wool cards. All work guaranteed. Have been running for three weeks, and will do your work at any and all times. I have a fine emery stone for grinding plow points. Bring them on, don't run your points dull any longer.

Respy, S. J. Mitchell.

Excursion to Bowling Green.

On account of the Kentucky Educational Association at Bowling Green Ky., tickets will be sold to Bowling Green and return on June 28 and 29 at one fare for the round trip. Return limit July 5.

T. C. Jameson, Agt.

What is it?

I HAVE IT COME AND GET IT

A carload of Binders and Mowers Threshers and Engines. Some good second hand Engines.

Can have repairing of engines promptly done at Morganfield. Work Guaranteed. Come and see me.

H. F. RAY.

For the Kentucky Christian Missionary Convention and C. W. M. B. Conventions, to be held at Louisville Ky. June 20 to 24th. Tickets will be sold to Louisville and return on June 20th to 24th, at one and one third fare for the round trip.

T. C. Jameson, Agt.

For the Colored State Teachers Association, to be held in Louisville, Ky. July 1st and 2d. Tickets will be sold to Louisville, Ky., and return on June 30 and July 1st, at one and one third fare for the round trip.

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I also keep a fresh, clean stock of fancy and staple groceries. Give me a call and I will give you satisfaction. 251 4w.

James Parrie.

New goods at Fohs'.

German millet at J. P. Pierce's. Circuit Court next Monday. If you want a hat go to Morse. If you want shoes go to Morse. If you want dry goods go to Morse. If you want a suit of clothes go to Morse.

Portions of the county enjoyed good rains Sunday.

Marion Pogue, of Francis, was in town Monday.

J. F. Price and family went to Tolu Tuesday.

C. E. Weldon was appointed deputy sheriff Friday.

Mr. J. A. Wheeler, of Clay, was in town Monday.

Born to the wife of D. B. Moore, June 17, a girl.

Albert Browning gets the postoffice at Providence.

Mr. Lou Parrie has been quite sick for several days.

Rev. A. B. Phipps has been quite ill several days.

Remember the Masonic barbecue at Sheridan July 3.

The teacher is on the move now in quest of a big district.

Sunday evening the lighter 'g' killed a cow for B. F. Walker.

M. A. J. Pickens and wife returned to Earl's Fort Tuesday.

J. W. Gues and wife spent Saturday and Sunday in town.

The rains are interfering materially with the wheat harvest.

Miss Ruby James will reach home from Minnesota tomorrow.

Al. Dooch will visit relatives in Livingston county Saturday.

Mrs. L. L. and Pearl Cook are visiting friends in Union county.

I have one second hand dropper in good repair cheap. H. F. Ray.

Messrs. Wm. Freeman and Bert Swartzel went to Golconda Monday.

I still have Binders, Mowers and Twines. H. F. Ray.

Miss Cook, of Lawrenceburg, Ky. is quite sick at Crittenden Springs.

Florence, little daughter of J. E. Dean, has been very ill several days.

I am prepared to settle old balance due on school claims.

Mr. Harry Cook has secured a copyright on a map he is projecting.

Mrs. J. B. Hubbard and children are visiting relatives at Dalton this week.

Dr. J. R. Clark is building a hand some cottage of five rooms in East Marion.

Charles LaRue, the clever young merchant of Louisville, was in town Monday.

George H. Orider has been appointed postmaster at Sullivan, Union county.

Eggs, poultry, and all kinds of produce wanted. M. Schwab.

If you want spinning wheels go to J. M. Walker, Marion, Kentucky. Repair work of all kinds.

I want all the mayapple root in the county, but will not take it unless dried and washed. M. Schwab.

The competition between the two Salem lines is warm. Round trip fare is only 25 cents, about one cent a mile. These excursion rates are popular.

If you want heavy groceries see the groceryman, but if you want bakery goods, fine candies and fruits, call on us.

McMican & Co.

Rev. J. S. Henry returned from Lyon county Monday, where he spent a week writing fire insurance. His trip was successful and he came back with a pocket full of applications.

Don't be persuaded to buy your goods until you see our line, we can meet anybody's price on shoes, hats, clothing or any kind of dry goods.

J. H. Morse.

J. M. Matsumoto, a young Japanese student of Asbury college, attended the district conference here, and while here was taken ill. He was sufficiently recovered to leave Tuesday morning.

Mr. T. N. Cockrell of Salem came up Tuesday to meet his daughter, Mrs. Wells, of Howell, Ind., and his granddaughter, Miss Sybil Scott, of Oakland City, who will spend a few weeks with him.

Thousands of persons use Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve who never had sore eyes. It strengthens weak eyes—makes the vision clear and distinct. It is nice and convenient to use. You need it. Try it.

Mr. P. E. Cook returned from Indiana Saturday, where he has been at work for the Royal Art Co. of this place. He did a good business. This company's fine work gathers business for them from all quarters.

The following persons went from Marion to Nashville Tuesday morning: J. P. Pierce, wife and daughter, J. W. Sliger and family, T. T. Murphy, J. W. Burnes, R. B. Dorr, J. W. Wallace, P. S. Maxwell, J. N. Clark, B. F. McMican, D. B. Keil.

Sunday evening the train put off at this place a woman and five children and they were utterly destitute of money. They claimed that the father had died in Indiana and they were endeavoring to make their way back to their old home in Tennessee. County Judge Moore made provision for their lodging Sunday night and they began their long weary trudge Monday morning.

G. A. R.

Headquarters Crittenden Post No. 31, Department of Kentucky, G. A. R.

Marion, Ky., June 22, 1897.

All members of the Post are especially requested to be present at our next regular meeting on Monday, July 5, as there is business of importance to be attended to.

J. M. Walker, Com.

Official: W. J. L. Hughes, Adj.

Deaths.

Died, June 21, at her home near Sheridan, Mrs. Sarah Jane Millican, after an illness of consumption of 18 months. Mrs. Millican was 65 years old, and for fifty years she was a valuable member of the Missionary Baptist church, and was highly esteemed by the people of her neighborhood, and her death was deeply regretted.

The interment took place at Pleasant Grove church cemetery on the 22d inst.

In Memoriam.

Little Willie Lee Gilliland was accidentally drowned near her home at Tolu March 19, 1897. She was six years and two days old, and was the daughter of Dora and David Gilliland. She was a sweet, obedient, cheerful, lovable little girl, the light and charm of the happy household, and her death was a sad blow to parents, sisters and brothers, and a large number of admiring relatives and friends. The baby of the home, fondly loved, only the parental heart can feel the anguish of the deep sorrow that comes under such a misfortune. But a ray of light penetrates the deepest gloom, our faith sustains the most sombre cloud and gives us a vision of little Willie Lee in the home whose beauty no earthly tongue can describe of Him who said, "Suffer little children to come unto me." While we mourn, perchance her tiny fingers touch immortal strings, and her childish voice adds another sweet note to the choir of heaven, and surrounded by the "many sweet children who have washed their feet upon the shining shore," she tells them in her song of the dear ones at her earthly home, and immortal joy lights her face as she is told that they will join her by and by.

"Early, bright, transient, Chaste as morning dew, She sparkled, was exhaled, And went to heaven."

Martinsburg, we felt in San Francisco Sunday.

A HOME WEDDING.

Mr. Charles Evans and Miss Martha Blue United in Marriage.

Mr. Charles Evans, the well known and popular principal of Marion Graded School, and Miss Martha Blue, the handsome daughter of Hon. Jno. W. Blue, were united in marriage, at the elegant Blue home in Marion, yesterday evening at 6:30. Rev. W. H. Milley officiating. While it was a quiet, unostentatious home wedding the decorations were exceedingly beautiful in their simplicity and taste. The elegant parlors were well filled with intimate friends and relatives of the two families who witnessed the ceremonies that united for life the two young people, so well suited to disposition, taste and culture to add to the happiness and usefulness of each other. After receiving the congratulations of the friends Mr. and Mrs. Evans left on the 7:35 train for Nashville, where they will spend several days, afterwards going to Bowling Green to attend the State Teachers Association, of which Mr. Evans is a prominent and active member.

The bride is one of the handsomest and most popular young ladies in Southern Kentucky. In social circles and among her numerous friends she is held in great esteem for the many virtues and accomplishments that enrich the heart and mind of woman.

Mr. Evans is one of the best and most successful teachers in the State; his splendid work in Marion has endeared him to the hearts of Marion people, and has given him a wide and well grounded reputation as an educator over the entire State. Besides his equipments and wisdom as a teacher, he is valued as an enterprising citizen and a cultured christian gentleman.

YANDELL KNOCKED OUT.

The Poplar Crittenden County Man Loses After An Apparent Clinch.

"There's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip," is the way that one of the men in Crittenden county is now feeling about it. Ten days ago Mr. Thos. Vandell and his host of friends were certain that he would be the next deputy United States Marshal. He had the promise in "black and white" of those in high authority, and upon those unconditional promises he based his expectations and shaped his affairs accordingly. But the past few days have changed the aspect of matters, and he no longer hopes to get the good place. Every man in Crittenden county, irrespective of party affiliation, was anxious that Mr. Vandell should get the place, because he is appreciated by the people who know him as a competent, honest, worthy, deserving man, and had assurances that were supposed to mean something. The very natural question is, how did he fail? When it is understood that the man who gets the place had some serious charges hanging over him, the question has double force. There are wheels that work in wheels in the whirligig of politics, and Mr. Vandell has been made to realize the futility of promises. Herd, the man who is the winner, was backed by Hunter and Roberts, and they have exemplified their power to manage matters.

A PRETTY WEDDING.

[Hopkinsville, Kentucky.]

Mr. J. Nick Thomas, the popular book keeper at Forbes & Bros, and Miss Annie Gaines, a pretty and petite South Main street belle, surprised their friends last evening by quietly entering into the matrimonial state at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Clarence Blakemore.

The young couple have been sweet hearts for some time, but only a few of their most intimate friends knew that their marriage was to come off so soon.

At 5 o'clock there was a wedding dinner, at which only a few couples of young people were present. They were Messrs. Pannish Wash, Lillian Beach and Gertrude Braman, and Messrs. George W. Phelps, John P. Thomas and R. Warner Thomas. Early in the evening a few others came in and at eight o'clock Rev. W. L. Nourse of the Presbyterian church performed the ceremony in the prettily decorated parlor.

The bride is a pronounced brunette, with a slight, graceful figure, bright black eyes and a sweet face. She is quite young, being just out of school. She has been a very popular belle in the younger social set, since she entered society a year or two ago. Mr. Thomas is a young man of fine character, and excellent standing as a business man. He came to this city from Marion, Ky., a few years ago, and has held a responsible position with the largest business establishment in the city for two or more years.

If you want a dwelling, outbuilding, or building of any kind moved, raised or lowered or shifted any way, it will be to your interest to see John I. Demaris. He is equipped for this kind of work, and is prepared to make contracts, and guarantee satisfaction. Prices very reasonable.

FREDONIA.

Ed Wheeler died last Saturday morning after fifty six days of suffering.

Farmers have had a good time for harvesting their wheat and hay.

Rain is getting to be badly needed in some portions of the country.

D. C. McGowan was in town a day or two last week on business.

H. E. Rice will have ripe tomatoes in a few days.

John Bennett, of Crittenden, was in town last Friday evening.

J. K. McGowan, of Princeton, was here last week looking after insurance.

R. E. Cooper and wife, of Hopkinsville, have been visiting J. E. Orider and family for several days.

Johnson Orider, of Texas, is at home on a visit.

Mrs. Swaney and daughter Ella, of Marion, were visiting Thos. Provell and family last week.

Rev. J. S. Henry, of Marion, was in town last Saturday.

Pitts Beavers has wheat with seventy two grains in one head, a great deal of it with four grains to the mesh.

Mrs. Sue Stevenson died last Saturday and was buried on Sunday.

Quite a number from Princeton, Marion and Crittenden attended the Children's Day services at the C. P. church last Sunday.

W. G. Koon, of Caldwell Springs, died Sunday evening and was buried Monday.

A child of Sam Brinkley died last Sunday night.

S. C. Bennett, of Caldwell Springs, was in town Monday.

Miss Lucy Morgan, of Princeton, who had been visiting here for several days returned home Monday.

A. Boz went to Marion Monday.

Mrs. J. M. McChesney and Mrs. W. E. Cox are visiting relatives in Livingston county this week, and will attend the marriage of H. D. McChesney at Smithland Thursday.

Frank Morgan returned to the county last week after a year absent.

George S. Brooks, jeweler, Fredonia, Ky., is prepared to do all work in his line. Charges reasonable, patronage solicited, satisfaction guaranteed.

If your watch needs repairing bring it to George S. Brooks. He warrants all his work.

We are having a splendid trade because our goods are the best and our prices the lowest.—Bugg & Loyd.

Our slippers are the most comfortable and stylish footwear ever brought to the town, just the thing to wear to socials, ice cream suppers, entertainments, etc.—Bugg & Loyd.

Henry Duke, of Princeton, was in town the first of the week.

James Henry and wife, of Marion, were visiting his sister, Mrs. E. G. Bugg last week.

Another church is going to try to surpass the Children's Day exercises here last Sunday, but they will have to call up the spirits to help if they do.

Men's crash suits \$2.75. Sam Howerton.

Thos. Emmons & Sons, shoes from \$1.75 to \$3.75. Sam Howerton.

Any and all kinds of calicoes 5 cents. Sam Howerton.

A good line of trunks. Sam Howerton.

CARRYSVILLE.

Our little town has a share of the promised "general prosperity," but so small has been the share that the people have seen but little of it. But surely our time will be on in the near future.

Albert Likins will soon take charge of the post office.

Dr. Wm. Payton and wife of Oklahoma are visiting his sister, Mrs. Dr. Lowry. Miss Nora Lowry of Salem is also visiting her brother, the Dr.

Rob Carr's horse ran away with the buggy this week and demolished the vehicle.

Miss Lola Todd returned from Paducah Thursday, where she has been visiting her sister since March.

Jeff Lemon will move from our vicinity soon to Weston, where he has purchased some property.

Bluffed the Bugs.

Ed. Press: This season the bugs have been getting in their work on the cucumber and other running vines in our garden and yard, much to the injury of the vines and the annoyance of my better half. Last week, while recounting her grievances at the loss of her pet plants, I had an inspiration. I had just taken a dose of epsom salts and their bitterness still lingered about my lips. I said to Mrs. R.: "Give 'em a dose of those salts; if that don't bluff 'em, nothing will." No sooner said than done. The leaves of the plants were freely sprinkled with the salts, and from that day to this no bug has insinuated his sucker among our vines. The remedy is both cheap and effectual, and as I shall not repeat it, I invite all my friends to give it a trial.

Speaking of bugs, as I was going home Monday evening Judge Pierce accosted me on the street and asked me to accompany him to the Royal Art rooms and examine two pictures—"Companion Pictures" the Judge called them. They were those of "Uncle" Herrod Travis and Marshall Weldon, and were both excellent pictures, a number of gentlemen present noting the strict fidelity to nature with which they were drawn.

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He will Appreciate Your Vote and Influence.

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A. A. Brandon.

A Card from Mr. Truitt.

To the People of Crittenden County: I most heartily thank those who have already honored me, and assure all that, whatever the result may be, such an expression of confidence will never be forgotten. I will greatly appreciate the support of all in the approaching election, and should I be chosen your Assessor, my utmost endeavor and greatest hope will be to make you a capable, faithful officer. I shall endeavor to see all in person and in the meantime remember that I am a candidate and that no one will hold your support in higher regard. Your obedient servant, J. N. TRUITT.

FIFTY DOLLARS A WEEK EASILY MADE. Agents wanted in every locality for Hon. W. J. Bryan's great and only book, "THE FIRST BATTLE." The best seller ever produced. Agents are taking as many as 50 orders per week. Rewards for fraudulent imitations. Send for outline and work at once. W. J. BRYAN CO., Publishers, Des Moines, Ia., Chicago, Ill.

Wise Parents.

Take proper care of your children's eyes. Cross eyes with children and young persons are mostly the consequences of uncorrected anomalies of refraction, or of a muscular defect. In many cases it can be overcome by timely wearing the proper glasses. Relieve your eyes in every possible way use glasses fitted by an expert as soon as there is any need for it; don't wait too long, and don't try to select yourself the glasses; for there are persons who wear glasses when they should not, and don't wear any when they should; if your eyes are not what they ought to be have them examined free. Dr. R. M. Ravdin, the expert ophthalmic optician, will be in Marion, Ky., July 1, 2 and 3, as usual in D. J. H. Clark's office. A careful examination costs you nothing. A cordial invitation extended to all. Don't miss the dates.

Deeds Recorded.

Mary L. Rushing to Joel P. Deboe interest in land for \$280.

Dan'l Riley to Mary L. Gray, 44 acres for \$300.

A. J. Bennett to L. A. Weldon, 300 1/2 acres for \$3000.

W. N. Travis to Jas. E. Travis interest in land for \$80.

W. N. Travis to S. E. Corley, 34 acres for \$243.

W. N. Travis to Thos. N. Travis, 37 acres for \$265.

Thos. H. Hunt to Thos. A. Pittman 3 acres for \$41.

A Miser's Estate.

At Eldyville a most peculiar suit has been filed. The action recalls memory of a queer character and his hidden riches.

A year ago the News told its readers about the death of J. N. Holloway, an eccentric old merchant of Eldyville, and the queer discovery which followed his end. When the little cottage where the deceased had lived was searched on the day following the funeral \$8,000 in silver, gold and bills were found among Holloway's belongings. The house was literally honey combed in wealth. Coins were hidden under the floor and in the roof. It laid on shelves and hid in cracks. An old tomato can in a dark corner contained nearly \$1,000.

Now Sheriff Boughter, of Lyon county, has instituted proceedings against Holloway's estate for back taxes, amounting to \$800, alleging that the deceased had about \$8,000 in cash which he had not paid for taxation, and upon that amount the sheriff now proposes to collect state, county and railroad taxes.—Paducah News.

St. Paul, Minn., June 21.—There is a strong probability that the Youngers, Cole and Jim, the greatest outlaws of American history, befriend by such men as Gov. Stephens, and ex-Gov. Stone, of Missouri, ex-Consul General Crittenden of Mexico, Senator Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia, and even detective William A. Pinkerton, may be allowed to spend their declining days in freedom.

Sensational Killing.

Mayfield was the scene of a sensational killing Friday. J. M. Kirkland, a well to do citizen shot and killed Jack Johnson, a dive keeper, for abducting Kirkland's thirteen year old daughter.

Stray Mare.

Taken up June the 22nd, by W. A. Maynard, one mile southeast of Marion, one black mare about 6 years old, branded on left hip, with halter on; also one bay horse colt about a year old. The owner may have them by paying for this notice.

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THE BEST PRICES TO CUSTOMERS ON EVERYTHING

And the best line throughout that could be had on the market.

Yours for Bargains.

THE LEADER.

Live Stock Market.

Louisville June 22—

Cattle—extra shipping \$4 25@4 40

Light shippings 4 00@4 25

Best butchers 3 85@4 10

Fair to good butchers 3 70@3 75

Common to medium but 2 75@3 25

Good to extra oxen 3 00@3 35

Common to medium ox 2 60@3 00

Feeders 3 00@4 00

Stockers 2 25@3 50

Veal calves 2 50@5 00

Milk cows—choice \$25 to \$35

Hogs—Choice packing and butchers, 225 to 300 \$3 20

Good to extra light \$3 35

Fat hogs, 120 to 150 lbs, \$3 35

Roughs, 150 to 400 lbs 2 50@3 00

5,000 Bushels Corn for Sale

I have 5,000 bushels corn to sell in the next twenty days, at 35 cents per bushel, for notes with approved security.

R. W. Wilson.

To the Voters of Crittenden County.

At the earnest solicitation of my friends from all political parties, and in the meantime having received the nomination of my party, I do very willingly announce that I am a candidate for reelection to the office of county court clerk, and if elected, promise you a faithful discharge of the duties of said office. I feel thankful and do appreciate the favors you have shown me in the past, and I trust that no official or other act of mine has caused any one to regret the interest you have so manifested in my behalf in the past; and should you, by your influence and votes at the next November election, again favor me with said office, I will appreciate the favor as much as possible for man to do, and will use my best endeavors to make you a faithful and efficient officer, showing no distinction or partiality to any one on account of politics, position, creed or color.

Your obedient servant and friend, D. WOODS.

May 14, 1897.

Electric Bitters.

Tutt's Pills
Cure All
Liver Ills.
Twenty Years Proof.
Tutt's Liver Pills keep the bowels in natural motion and cleanse the system of all impurities. An absolute cure for sick headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, constipation and kindred diseases.
"Can't do without them"
R. P. Smith, Chilesburg, Va., writes I don't know how I could do without them. I have had Liver disease for over twenty years. Am now entirely cured.
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THE DANGER

to which the Expectant Mother is exposed and the foreboding and dread with which she looks forward to the hour of woman's severest trial is appreciated by but few. All effort should be made to smooth these rugged places in life's pathway for her, ere she presses to her bosom her babe.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

allays Nervousness, and so assists Nature that the change goes forward in an easy manner, without such violent protest in the way of Nausea, Headache, Etc. Gloomy forebodings yield to cheerful and hopeful anticipations—she passes through the ordeal quickly and without pain—is left strong and vigorous and enabled to joyously perform the high and holy duties now devolved upon her. Safety to life of both is assured by the use of "Mother's Friend," and the time of recovery shortened.

"I know one lady, the mother of three children, who suffered greatly in the birth of each, who obtained a bottle of 'Mother's Friend' of me before her fourth confinement, and was relieved quickly and easily. All agree that their labor was shorter and less painful."
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11.00 PER BOTTLE at all Drug Stores, or sent by mail on receipt of price. Contains inviolable information of interest to all women, will be sent FREE any address upon application, by THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., ATLANTA, GA.

GREAT SALES prove the great merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Hood's Sarsaparilla sells because it accomplishes **GREAT CURES.**

Suffered 27 Years with Kidney Disease
Mr. G. A. Stillson, a merchant of Tampico, Ill., writes Aug. 10, 1891: "Foley's Kidney Cure is meeting with wonderful success. It has cured some cases here that were pronounced incurable. I myself am able to testify to its merits. My face today is a living picture of health, and Foley's Kidney Cure has made it such. I had suffered twenty seven years with the disease and today I feel ten years younger than I did one year ago. I can obtain some wonderful certificates medicinal of its qualities. For sale by R. F. Haynes."

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Croup, whooping cough and colds are quickly allayed and danger averted.
DR. BELL'S
PINE-TAR-HONEY
This famous remedy will cure an attack of croup at the time it takes to find a doctor. Every home should have it ready for the time of need. It is an infallible remedy for all bronchial and lung affections.
Sold by druggists at 50c. and \$1 per bottle or sent direct on receipt of price by The R. B. Bell & Co. Baltimore, Md.

A Word to Physicians.
Do you know that many broad minded physicians are using Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup in their practice. They have found no remedy that gave as satisfactory results for all throat and lung complaints as this great cough medicine. For sale at R. F. Haynes drug store.

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10 Cent
Trial Size
Ely's Cream
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contains **COLD IN HEAD**
no cocaine, mercury nor any other injurious drug. It is a tickly absorbed gives relief at once. It opens and cleanses the nasal passages. Alleviates inflammation. Heals and protects the membrane. Restores the sense of taste and smell. Full size 50c; trial size 10c; at druggists or by mail.
Ely Brothers, 60 Warren Street, New York.

FAST RICHES

To Be Represented at the Jubilee of the Queen.

THE AMERICANS SPENDING THEIR MONEY LAVISHLY.

New York, June 15.—Consuelo, Duchess of Marlborough, was given a dot of \$10,000,000 by her father. For the Jubilee she has taken Spencer house at a cost of \$10,000 for the season. The maintenance of a London house alone is a small fortune. Twenty five servants go with the house, and a large retinue is brought from Blenheim. The Marlborough coaches and carriages and liveries have all been renewed and furnished with red and gold plush.

Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Golet have taken Wimbourne house for two months, and the price, \$1,250, has been considered quite reasonable, as it overlooks the procession. Besides this the Golets, who have been presented at court, will give a large crush dance, numerous dinners and parties on their yacht, which will be in commission during the jubilee.

Ex-Governor and Mrs. Levi P. Morton of New York and the Misses Morton have taken a furnished house in a fashionable and expensive thoroughfare. They have, besides, taken two down on Piccadilly, where nothing can be had for less than \$500.

LARGE SUMS FOR WINDOWS.
Mrs. Samuel Colgate is the tenant of a splendid mansion, in which she will entertain most sumptuously during the jubilee. Mrs. Colgate was Miss Cora Smith, and is the widow of Samuel Colgate, of the wealthy New York family.

The millions of the railroad magnate, Charles F. Huntington, will not be unrepresented in this general rejoicing over the tight little island. The Princess Hatzfeldt, his adopted daughter, will have a try at London society. She has as sponsors the Bache Cunards. Lady Cunard was Miss Maud Burke of Oakland.

Cornelius Vanderbilt and family are at the Bristol. They will see the procession from the window of George Vanderbilt's apartments at the Berkley. George Vanderbilt keeps these apartments the year round, but he has had possibly to pay a large price for the privilege of the windows on the jubilee day.

The Hawaiian Islands.

The Hawaiian islands are eight in number—Hawaii, Kahoolawe, Lanai, Maui, Molokai, Oahu, Kauai, and Niihau. The group lies in the Pacific ocean, about 2,000 miles from San Francisco. They have a total area of about 6,740 square miles—equal to about one tenth of the area of Missouri. At the last census, taken five years ago, the population numbered 90,000, about 15,000 of this number being Americans and Europeans; the Japanese outnumber all other foreigners, there being 24,000 of that nationality on the islands. The chief industry is sugar and coffee cultivation. The exports and imports in 1890 amounted to \$14,188,155.69 and of this sum \$12,908,508.92 was done with the United States.

Honolulu is the capital and chief city. It has a population of 30,000. Queen Liliuokalani, ruler of the Hawaiian monarchy, was deposed January 3, 1893. The present republic was created January 4, with President Dole at its head. There is no cable connection with the islands, but two lines from the Pacific coast to Honolulu have been projected. The ordinary sailing time of ships from San Francisco to Honolulu is about seven days.

The dictionary doesn't give you any better word to apply to the BUCKSKIN BREECHES than "BEST." Best in this case means care in cutting, best thread, stay on buttons and perfect fit. They will wear as well as the jeans will allow. We use a better grade of jeans than the other manufacturers. We use a jeans that has almost no wear out in it. You can get your money back if you find them anything other than best.

Killed Five.
Meridian, Miss., June 14.—In Kemper county a negro named Sibler, while crazy drunk on blind tiger whiskey, procured a gun and started out to kill every person he met. The first he came across happened to be five negroes, three women and two children, and the fiend shot them down and left them where they fell. He also shot at six other negroes, who narrowly escaped death at his hands.

Something to Know.
It may be something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centers in the stomach, gently stimulates the liver and kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c and \$1 at Ormes.

DISASTROUS EFFECT.

Our Commerce With Cuba Has Been Fearfully Reduced by the War.

Washington, June 18.—Secretary of Agriculture Wilson submitted at the cabinet meeting today a statement showing the disastrous effect of the war upon the trade relations of the United States and Cuba. According to this official statement the total value of the Cuban trade last year amounted to only \$47,518,610 as compared with \$102,864,204 in 1893. The estimated amount of trade this year is about \$20,000,000. The sugar and tobacco trade, the statement shows, have suffered greatly during the Cuban war. Statistics with regard to the falling off in the trade in these products, and also lard, dairy products, breadstuffs, etc., are given. The report was prepared at the request of the president, and will figure in the settlement of the Cuban question.

SETTLED AT LAST.

The Boundary Line Between Kentucky and Indiana Finally Located.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 9.—The dispute of long standing between Indiana and Kentucky as to the boundary line on Green River Island has been finally settled and the commissioners appointed to run the line have asked to be discharged. The boundary line is marked by three monuments of stone and sixteen monument of iron. One stone monument is placed at the starting point at the eastern extremity of the island, one near the midway distance, and one at the western extremity. On the north side of each of these monuments appears the word "Indiana," and on the south side the word "Kentucky." The iron posts were placed at each of the sixteen intermediate angles. On each of these posts the word "Indiana" on the one side and the word "Kentucky" on the other were cast in raised letters, the words reading downward.

Under the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States Kentucky gets most of Green Island. The commissioners report the entire expense of fixing the boundary line to be \$1,122. The State of Kentucky will pay half of this amount.

Incendiary's Work

Providence, Ky., June 19.—Fire broke out at 2 o'clock this morning in M. L. Russell's drug store, and several buildings were destroyed. The loss was about \$4,000, as follows: M. L. Russell, stock of drugs, loss \$2,000, insurance \$1,200; George Untley, storehouse, loss \$600, no insurance; Eli Cowan, one storehouse, blacksmith shop and tools, \$800, no insurance; J. S. Park, photograph gallery and outfit, \$300, no insurance. The fire is thought to have been the work of an incendiary.

Another Suicide.

Mr. Tim Creekmur, of the northern end of the county, was in town last Friday and he and Squire Carter were talking of the sad death of Mr. Reichard. The next day news came that Mr. Creekmur had ended his own life by shooting himself with a pistol. This is a very sad suicide as Mr. Creekmur was an old man, and no one had thought of his being tired of life. This makes three suicides in this county within the past month.—Princeton Banner.

Land Pardoned.

Frankfort, Ky., June 19.—Acting Governor Worthington quit business yesterday afternoon with the pardon of Lewis Land, the last of the Oliver-Delaney crowd, and began business today with the pardon of Reuben Hill, sent from Lee county for twenty one years for manslaughter several years ago. Hill's pardon was asked by numerous citizens of Lee, including the Circuit Judge and Commonwealth's Attorney.

Don't neglect a cough because the weather is pleasant; before the next storm rolls around it may develop into a serious difficulty beyond repair. One Minute Cough cure is easy to take and will do what its name implies. At Haynes drug store.

Merit Talks

"Merit talks" the intrinsic value of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Merit in medicine means the power to cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla possesses actual and unequalled curative power and therefore it has true merit. When you buy Hood's Sarsaparilla, take it according to directions, to purify your blood, or cure any of the many blood diseases, you are morally certain to receive benefit. The power to cure is there. You are not trying an experiment. It will make your blood pure, rich and nourishing, and thus drive out the germs of disease, strengthen the nerves and build up the whole system.

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Ely's Cream Balm is a positive cure. Apply into the nostrils. It is quickly absorbed. 25 cents at Druggists or by mail, samples 10c, by mail, ELY BROTHERS, 66 Warren St., New York City.

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Gentlemen—We sold last year, 400 bottles of GROVES' TASTELESS CHILL TONIC and have bought three gross already this year. In all our experience of 14 years in the drug business, we never sold an article that gave such universal satisfaction as your "Tonic." Yours truly, ARNETT, CARR & CO.

Blind Stagers.
Nearly a thousand horses have died near Hutchinson, Kansas, this winter from blind staggers or something much resembling that disease. The animals droop, refuse to eat, and seem to have no idea of distance. They will throw their heads against the stall and in getting their mouths into their feed boxes will strike their teeth violently against the bottom of the box. A post mortem examination shows that the brain has turned to a mass of corruption. Very few recover under treatment. Impure food is supposed to be the cause of the trouble.

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TIME CARD.
GOING EAST.
Lv Henderson.....7:20 a. m. 8:55 p. m.
Ar Louisville.....11:00 p. m.
GOING WEST.
Lv Louisville.....6:30 p. m. 7:45 a. m.
Ar Henderson.....11:55 a. m. 1:15 p. m.
H. C. MORDELL, G. P. A., LOUISVILLE, KY.

O. V. R. R.
TIME CARD.
SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.
DAILY
No. 1 No. 3
Lv. Evansville.....6:15 a. m. 4:20 p. m.
Ar. Henderson.....7:02 " 5:08 "
" Morgantown.....7:55 " 6:03 "
" Marion.....9:21 " 7:35 "
" Princeton.....10:21 " 8:40 "
" Hopkinsville.....11:30 p. m. 9:50 "
NORTH BOUND TRAINS.
DAILY
No. 2 No. 4
Lv. Hopkinsville.....5:20 a. m. 3:30 p. m.
Princeton.....8:37 " 4:45 "
Marion.....7:31 " 5:41 "
Morgantown.....9:02 " 7:12 "
Henderson.....9:52 " 8:07 "
Evansville.....10:40 " 8:55 "
UNIONTOWN BRANCH.
Lv. Morgantown.....9:10 a. m. 7:15 p. m.
Ar. Uniontown.....9:35 a. m. 7:40 p. m.
Lv. Uniontown.....7:35 a. m. 3:25 p. m.
Ar. Morgantown.....7:50 a. m. 5:50 p. m.
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